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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Madsen et al.)

Serial No. 09/982,516)

Filed: October 18, 2001)

For: METHOD OF PRODUCING AND)
PURIFYING ANGIOSTATIN)
PROTEIN)

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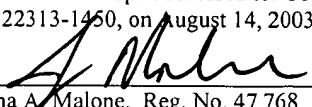
In response to the Office Action mailed March 14, 2003 the period for response which expires on August 14, 2003, along with a two month extension of time, Applicants respectfully request amendment of the application as follows and reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 15 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.

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